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## Shorter leash in store for local cats

BY LEA SMALDON  
*Didsbury Review*

Cats living in Didsbury's town limits may soon be on as short a leash as dogs under proposed animal control bylaw revisions seeking equality under the law between the two species.

Town council gave first reading last Tuesday to revise dog and cat bylaws. The changes will not come into force until second and third readings are given.

Cat owners would have to be mindful of up to 13 new offences on top of the two already included for the feline friends in the current bylaw.

"The problem right now is cats and dogs are treated differently under the law. If a

dog attacks someone there's consequences under the bylaw. If a cat attacks someone, nothing," said bylaw enforcement officer Don Elliot.

Elliot recommended updating the bylaws to reflect the current cost of providing services as well as attacking the inequality issue.

"Of course you always hear from the dog owners about the fact that cats have no rules. This will just help that," said Elliot.

The proposed cat bylaw would include just about every offence that dogs can be punished for including failing to confine a cat in heat, failing to remove defecation, cat found in a playground or sand area, cat damaging public or private property, and a cat biting or injuring a person or other ani-

mal.

Subtle differences are included in offences tailored specifically for each animal.

A cat found stalking or killing birds on public or private property would be an offence punishable a first time by a \$100 fine.

The owner of a dog found on school property could still be fined while there is no similar offence for a cat.

And of course, barking would remain an offence under the revised dog bylaw while vocal cats aren't considered in the revised cat bylaw.

While dog owners may feel vindicated by the proposed cat bylaw revisions, they aren't without additional penalties as well.

The proposed schedule of penalties includes additional fines for repeat offenders.

"It's to act as a deterrent really," said Elliot. "If a dog attacks right now it gets a fine. It gets the same fine if it happened six times or once. There's no deterrent to change behaviour."

It is also proposed that the courts deal with some of the more serious offences.

"Let a judge determine the severity of it. Those really should be out of our scope," he said.

Licensing fees will be increased under the revised bylaws by \$10 to \$20 depending on what time of year a licence is purchased and whether the animal is spayed or neutered.



**TODAY'S CATCH** - Don Elliot, bylaw enforcement officer, keeps busy in Didsbury last week with his catches of the day.

Kim Dick/Didsbury Review



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# EDITORIAL & OPINION

## Your letters Don't stop at smoking ban

Can Premier Ed Stelmach take the credit for promoting anti-smoking legislation in bars and public places? Hardly.

He had long refused to clarify his personal opinion on an issue that had long been controversial, whereas he should have been a strong advocate on the issue all along.

Second-hand smoke has been linked to the deaths of more than 1,000 Canadians every year.

Canadian Cancer Society reports cigarette smoking causes 30 per cent of all cancers and more than 89.5 per cent of lung cancers.

After all the controversy over smoking bans, smokers seem to have finally come to accept the concept that non-smokers have the right to refuse to have to share a clean air space.

By the same token, those who do not drink and drive should have every right to drive in safety on our highways, not being jeopardized by having to share the road with intoxicated drivers. Judges have sent out a message that drunk driving is a trivial offence, even when a death is involved. Little wonder there is so much slaughter on our highways. Impaired driving is the leading cause of traffic deaths in Alberta (Calgary Police Service).

The sobering fact is that Alberta has the highest per capita consumption of alcohol in Canada (Parkland Industries). Little wonder — privatization of booze by Klein tripled the number of outlets, bar hours were extended to 4:30 a.m., and nude bar performances flourished.

Overcome with greed, Alberta takes in almost \$2 million net from booze sales per day (Annual report, AB G&L).

It costs taxpayers \$10 for every one of those dollars to pick up the pieces for the increase in crime, jails, marital breakup, welfare costs, health care, etc. (B.C. study). Alcohol is a factor in 70 per cent of murders (FBI, 1990) and Edmonton remains the murder capital of Canada.

Seems that if the Conservatives can protect non-smokers in bars and public places, they should be able to help protect drivers on our public highways.

Audrey Jensen  
Red Deer

## Ponderings of the heart An ode to Dad

As Father's Day approaches, what memories do we have of our dads? What thoughts cross our minds as we think about his special day? Are the first reminders of appreciation, thankfulness, or do we struggle with our memories?

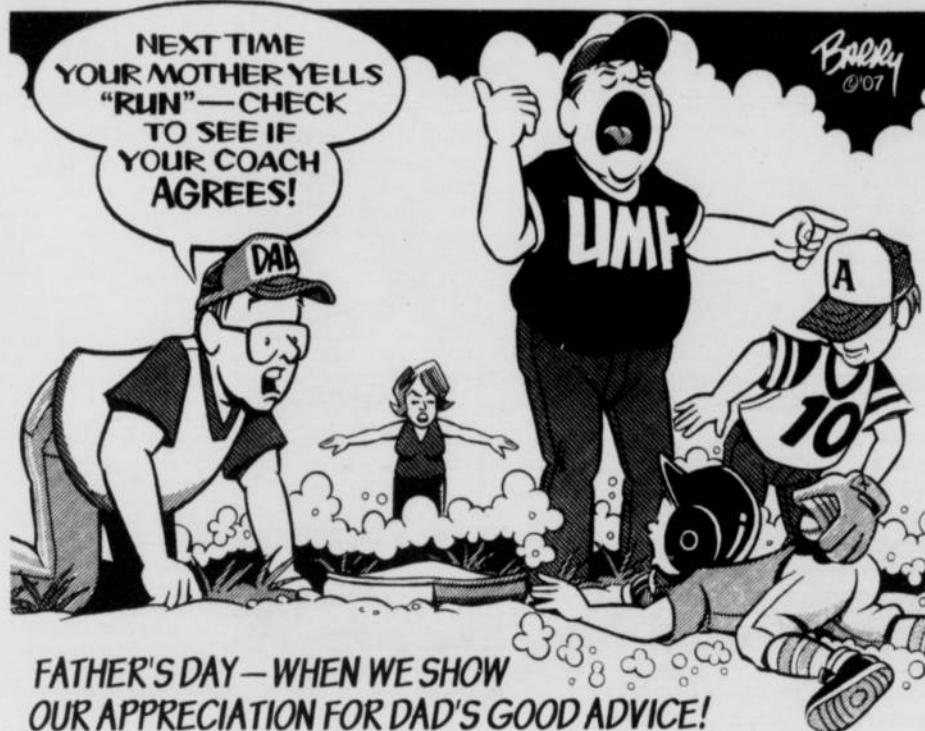
Years ago, as I think back, I used to feel that perhaps Dad didn't have enough time for us, perhaps didn't show us enough affection, or give us enough praise. But as I look back, I realize that at the time, putting food on the table and having a roof over our heads was his greatest gift of love.

Our expectations are not always realistic and sometimes we are unaware and not sensitive to the many ways Dad has of showing us his love.

As we think about Dad's special day, let us show him our love, not just in a new tie or his favourite nuts and candies, but give Dad a hug, tell him how much he means to us. A hug goes a long way.

For all you fathers out there, we do wish you a special day, but also know you are appreciated even though often you are taken for granted. You deserve to be honoured. Enjoy your day and soak in all the love.

Margaret Fradley



FATHER'S DAY — WHEN WE SHOW  
OUR APPRECIATION FOR DAD'S GOOD ADVICE!

## Commentary Don't let someone else do it

SU BERTON

With all the green talk going on these days, many of us feel governments will take care of the problem for us. As a result many dump garbage wherever they feel, on the sidewalks, in parking lots, in playgrounds, etc.... This is done with the attitude that "Somebody else will" pick up after us.

If you'd ask them to pick up after themselves, you'd get the answer, "Nope. Somebody else will. So why should I?"

The big problem with this is that somebody else might not pick up after you. While we expect our governments to do their part as far as big green problems are concerned, we need to do our part. We've become too much like spoiled kids who won't pick up their messes because Mom and Dad will do it for them. We aren't kids anymore. It's time to grow up and pick up after ourselves.

### Skippping Channels

I do it! Over the years I've gotten used to getting up to go to the washroom, the fridge, or tidy up during commercials. It's not that all of them are bad; it's just that they can become annoying particularly if it's the same old ones.

Then I surf the other channels during a commercial of a much loved program. Sometimes there's another favourite playing on another channel so I flip over to that one during a

break. Who wants to watch commercials 24/7? Not me.

It seems TV networks are worried sick about this problem. They do need to pay the bills like everyone else. Maybe they should start putting a favoured product in the show; let's say the main character is sitting eating a brand cereal; that could be their commercial.

About the only thing a commercial makes sense for me these days - besides learning about a new product - is a time out from the show to do what I time to do. Weren't commercials invented for just this purpose?

### Dr. Death out

Now that Dr. Death made it out of jail, all we need now is more talk on dying with dignity. Yeah, right!

My question for people - is there any such thing as dying with dignity? If it means going peacefully then I guess that would be a dignified end to a life, yet, most people don't get to choose how they will leave this world.

I have a feeling that Dr. Death will make a final appeal for the so-called right to die by making himself the big example when he reaches his end by doing the famed "Dr. Death thing" - although I won't be watching.

Debate is good. Yet, some questions won't ever be answered no matter how much we debate the topic. Most of us will be debating the right to die till kingdom come.

The only death we should concern ourselves with is our own.

### Is sorry enough - Tuberculosis!

If I knew I was carrying even a mild form of tuberculosis could I in my right mind board a plane to travel the world without worrying about my fellow man? This is what Atlanta lawyer, Andrew Speaker did.

Even if he was travelling in the hopes of getting married to his sweetheart, I feel this was selfishness in its lowest form. Apparently, he didn't get married and he faces possible lung tissue removal. Though he is suffering mental and somewhat physical discomfort, saying sorry isn't good enough. Maybe he's sorry he got caught.

Let's just hope his tuberculosis had no time to infect others. For all we know it could have spread to a number of people who are infecting others.

### Bad singing gets man killed

If it were me, I'd have been singing with the angels in heaven at this very moment.

Believe it or not, a man was shot for singing Frank Sinatra's song "My Way" his way - out of tune in a karaoke bar in the Philippines. This is pretty scary because I sing out of tune every day at home. I could get shot!

Karaoke is for fun. So what if the man sang it out of tune? If you're going to kill anyone for singing off key, stay away from karaoke bars.

### How can we help you?

**Letters to the editor:** Letters submitted for publication must be signed and bear the address, phone number and e-mail address of the writer. Please keep your letter to 500 words or less. Letters may be edited for grammar, punctuation, spelling, length and libel. Unsigned letters will NOT be published. Use of pseudonyms will be permitted only under special circumstances, provided the writer's identity is known to The Review.

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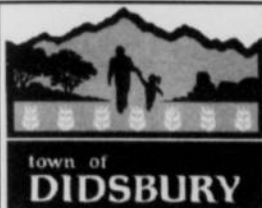
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Didsbury Aquatic Centre Schedule	335-8653
Memorial Complex & Aquatic Centre	335-7369
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Chamber of Commerce Office	335-3265
Library	335-3142

## PUBLIC MEETINGS & NOTICES

### TOWN COUNCIL:

Tuesday, June 19, 2007 Council Chambers at 7:00 pm

The Town Office will be closed the second Friday of every month from Noon to 1:00 pm (July 13, 2007)

### MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wednesday, June 20, 2007—Council Chambers at 4:30 pm

## NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

THE FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENT PERMITS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED DEVELOPMENTS:

DP 60-07	2102 - 16 Avenue	Covered Deck	R2
DP 71-07	1 Westheights Drive	Covered Deck	R1
DP 72-07	2026 - 17 Avenue	Change of Use - Vacant to Offices (with conditions)	C1

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037—19 Avenue or by calling 335-3391. Person(s) wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing, with the appropriate fees, to the Secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on **June 26, 2007**.

*Robert Wigg, Development Officer*

## PUBLIC NOTICE TO ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF DIDSBURY, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

### SECTION 251 - THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT ACT

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, has given first reading to borrowing By-law No. 2007-11 which will, upon final passage and approval, authorize the proper officers of the said Town of Didsbury to borrow monies from the Alberta Capital Finance Authority by way of debenture issue to pay for the cost of the following municipal purpose(s), namely financing, undertaking and completion of extending water, sewer and storm water services and roadways to the new industrial area north of Highway 582, the Rosebud Industrial Subdivision and Valarosa Subdivision within the limits of the said municipality;

The total cost of the aforesaid project amounts to \$2,234,393.37. The amount to be borrowed on the credit and security of the municipality at large by the issue of debentures is \$635,000.00.

The debentures in the amount of \$635,000.00 are to be repayable to the Alberta Capital Finance Authority in Forty (40) equal consecutive semi annual installments of combined principal and interest, the semi annual interest not to exceed Ten per centum (10%), or the interest rate as fixed from time to time by the Alberta Capital Finance Authority.

**NOW THEREFORE NOTICE** is hereby given by the Council of the Town of Didsbury that, unless a petition of the electors for a vote on By-law No. 2007-11 is demanded, as provided for by the terms of Section 231 of the Municipal Government Act, the said Council may pass the said borrowing by-law.

All persons interested are hereby notified and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

**DATED** at the Town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, this 12th day of June, 2007.

### INFORMATION FOR ELECTORS

Pursuant to Section 1(i) of the Municipal Government Act an "elector" means:

A person who is eligible to vote in the election for a councillor under the Local Authorities Election Act.

Pursuant to section 47(1) of the Local Authorities Election Act a person is eligible to vote in an election if he:

- is at least 18 years old,
- is a Canadian citizen, and
- has resided in Alberta for the 6 consecutive months immediately preceding election day and is resident in the area on election day.

A poll may be demanded in the Town of Didsbury by electors equal in number to at least: in the case of a municipality other than a summer village, by electors of the municipality equal in number to at least 10% of the population and in the case of a summer village, by 10% of the electors of the summer village in accordance with the provisions of section 223 of the Municipal Government Act and in accordance with the provisions of section 251 of the Municipal Government Act.

The petition for a vote must be received by the Chief Administrative Officer within 15 days of the last publication of this notice and shall contain on each page "an accurate and identical statement of the purpose of the petition". (Further requirements of the petition are provided in section 224 of the Municipal Government Act.)

DATE of the last publication of this notice is the 19, day of June, 2007.

**Notice:** According to Bylaw 95-01 (the Building Permit Bylaw), the Town of Didsbury may charge double the permit fees if unauthorized work, including excavation, has been started before the issuance of a permit. Please remember to apply for all appropriate permits including development, building, electrical, gas and plumbing. Permits are required for such projects as Single Family Dwellings, garages, sheds over 144 ft<sup>2</sup>, woodstoves, commercial building change of business, etc. If you're unsure if you require a permit, please call 335-3391.



## ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE FOR SPECIAL EVENT!

June 16, 2007 Didsbury Lions Soap Box Derby

**Time of Closure:** 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Closure of Highway 582 Junction at the east side of the Campground to 19th Street.

Detour of traffic east and west on 20th Avenue to 19th Street and north and south on 19th Street from Highway 582 and 20th Avenue.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF DIDSBURY

### MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN BY-LAW 2007-02

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Didsbury has proceeded to first reading of a bylaw to adopt a new Municipal Development Plan. The primary purpose of this Plan is to guide the future growth and development of Didsbury through the inclusion of a set of broad goals and policies to guide decisions made by the Town.

A public hearing prior to second and third readings of the proposed By-law will be held June 19, 2007, commencing at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office, 2037-19 Avenue.

The hearing will be conducted under the chairmanship of the Mayor, or her designated person, for the purpose of hearing opinions and comments and/or objections to the proposed By-law.

The style of the hearing will be informal and persons wishing to speak will be requested to state their name and address for the record upon being recognized by the Chairman. Opportunities to speak will not be restricted, but recognition to speak will be at the discretion of the Chairman. Written responses will also be accepted up until 12:00 noon June 19, 2007.

The public may inspect a copy of the proposed Municipal Development Plan amendments at the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office, 2037-19 Avenue, during regular office hours 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION of this notice: June 5, 2007

DATE OF SECOND PUBLICATION of this notice: June 12, 2007

*Robert Wigg, Planning and Development Director*

**Property Assessment and Taxation Notices were mailed May 25, 2007**  
If you own property and have not received your 2007 Notice please contact Marilyn at 335-3391.

**All Assessment Appeals must be received by June 25, 2007**  
*Taxes are due June 30, 2007*

## Thinking about Running for Town Council? PRE-ELECTION INFORMATION SESSION JUNE 14

Are you thinking about running for the office of Mayor or Councillor in the 2007 Town of Didsbury Municipal Election? On Thursday, June 14, a Pre-Election Information Session will be held at the Olds Legion from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

This session is to give people considering running for municipal office an opportunity to hear what is involved and the commitments that are required if elected. The session is being hosted jointly by the Town of Carstairs, Didsbury, Sundre and Olds and by Mountain View County and the Village of Cremona. During the evening there will be breakout sessions where attendees may talk first-hand with municipal officials from these communities about the duties and commitments required. No pre-registration is required to attend this meeting.

Nomination Day is Monday, September 17. Election Day is Monday, October 15. For a complete information package on how to run for the office of Mayor or Councillors, contact Luana Smith at the Town of Didsbury 335-3391.

# Your letters

## Petitioner stands up for abused animals everywhere

Dear Editor:

In response to Mr. E.V. Peters' letter, "More attention needed for human tragedies".

My name is Tamara Chaney, the founder of the 'Stop Animal Cruelty Petition.' I'd like to start by saying it is truly tiresome continuously reading articles comparing the worst recorded animal abuse case in Canada's history (Daisy Duke), to abortion, rape, human to human abuse and now canine to human abuse, which I'd like to point out, have no relation to each other in any way. It's like comparing apples to oranges; it makes absolutely no sense.

I'd like you to know the reason I started my petition. Canada's Animal Welfare

Legislation has not been updated since 1892; that's right, 115 years. There are absolutely no laws that offer effective protection for our animals, which is entirely unacceptable. Our current animal welfare laws are riddled with loopholes that continuously allow animal abusers to get off with a slap on the hand. There are thousands of laws to protect human beings, yet not one which offers substantial protection for our animals.

I am tired of people criticizing me for standing up for something I believe in, simply due to the fact I am fighting for animals and not humans. If I'm not mistaken, we all have the same maker, (dogs, cats, whales, mice, bears, humans,

worms . . . ). All living things are 'here' because of our maker. I believe every living thing we co-exist with deserves to be treated with respect and understanding, nothing less. However, with our ever-failing society, people's complete lack of respect for anything, not even another life, it appears my beliefs are nothing more than wishful thinking.

You know, I have not seen one of my criticsizers taking a stand for what they are passionate about, taking the risk of putting their name across Canada and taking physical action to change Canada's lacking laws. Mr. Peters, you seem to feel strongly about canine attacks on children. I'd like to know if you've ever attended any canine/child

attack court cases to show your support for the victim? Have you ever thought about starting a campaign informing the public of the risks involved in leaving children unattended with canines? Have you ever taken a public stance for anything you believe in? I'm guessing, NO. When you actually take a public stance on something you are passionate about, only then will you have the right to downsize some else's efforts to stand up for what they believe in.

Are you aware of the PROVEN link between animal abusers and serial killers? Let me open your eyes. ALL serial killers started their reign of terror by torturing animals. Perhaps you should read some

books about Ted Bundy or Charles Manson; maybe do some research on the internet. After doing so, I hope you would have the sense to understand the very great need to stop these sociopathic monsters at the animal abuse level before they move on to humans, perhaps one of your family members. Now do you understand why people stand up and speak out against animal abuse, why animal torture strikes such upset and action?

In regards to your illogical comment on dog/child attacks: "Oh, sorry...it's only a human being...poor dog...it wasn't the dog's fault! Sound familiar", I'd like you to keep reading.

Finding a canine that attacks for NO REASON is


like finding a needle in a haystack, so no, in the majority of cases of so-called 'attacks', it is not the dog's fault. If you would do some research on these attacks, the child has been left unattended with the dog by their guardian, something a responsible person would not do. Canines naturally have something that is called 'prey drive.' All breeds of dogs have some level of prey drive, from a toy poodle to a Great Dane. If something moves, it's prey, like it or not, that is canine logic. People need to be aware of this and take the responsible steps not to set their pets up for failure. As I am sure you are aware, if a child has not been taught to treat animals kindly, they tend to pull ears and tails, and try dragging the animal around. I don't know about you, but I wouldn't enjoy someone treating me that way. Ninety-eight per cent of canine attacks are caused by human error, yet when an animal acts with its natural instinct, it is immediately quarantined and ultimately euthanized. I do strongly feel that if the canine which 'attacked' a child is in fact deemed 'mad', then the DOG SHOULD BE EUTHANIZED. However, the fact is that countless canines who have always been loyal and loving companions are needlessly being euthanized due to a human's ignorant actions. Absolutely, dog/child attacks are horrible, and I most certainly cannot imagine the emotional scars the victim would suffer throughout life, but when you get right down to it, the MAJORITY of attacks would not have happened if the child's guardian had been there supervising.

You are kidding me when you say that the paper has been 'fixated' on the Haskett/animal cruelty issue, right? Informing our town's residents and our fellow Canadians of an individual who is admittedly responsible for Canada's worst recorded case of animal abuse, what is the problem with that? Would you prefer the media stick their heads in the sand and pretend a self-proclaimed animal abuser does not reside among us? The media, via TV, radio, internet and newspapers is responsible for alerting us of criminals and the crimes they commit against our fellow human beings and animals. The media gives us the opportunity to curb our ignorance in relation to the state of our ever-failing society.



Before writing letters to media, an individual should know the facts surrounding what they choose to convey, and stop comparing issues which have nothing to do with each other. Save yourself the embarrassment.

*Tamara Chaney  
Didsbury*

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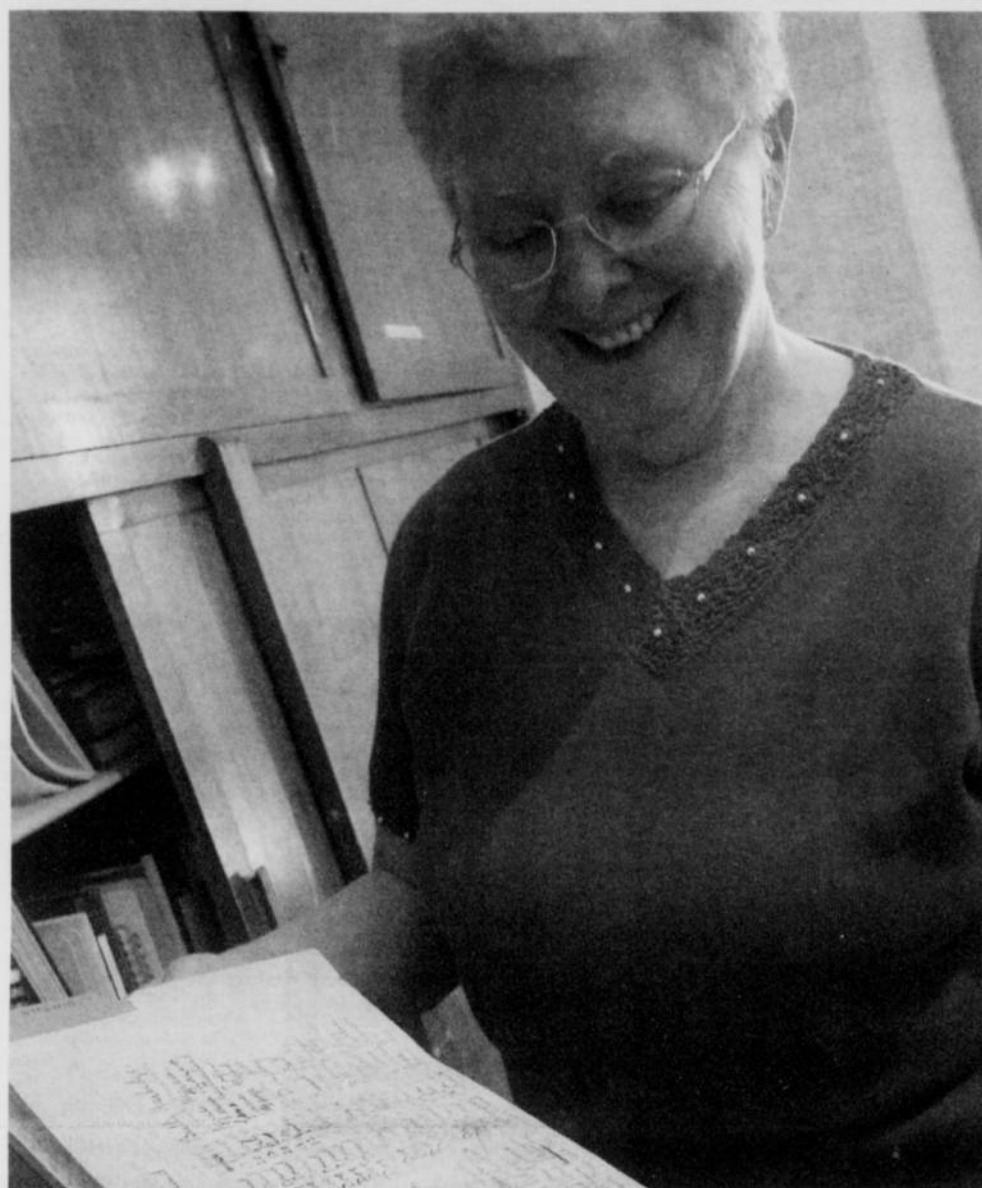
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**TREASURED MEMORIES** — Archivist, Joyce Gerbrandt is one of the many hard-working volunteers at the Didsbury Museum. The museum was part of a community site visit program last week which encourages museums to strive towards excellence in their communities.

Kim Dick/Didsbury Review

## Alberta Museums gives local museum kudos

BY KIM DICK  
Didsbury Review

The Didsbury Museum was part of a community site visit program last Thursday conducted by the Alberta Museums Association.

A handful of directors and volunteers were on hand during the visit which was conducted by Erin Collins, director of grants and Nicole Thomson, advisory assistant with the provincial non-profit organization.

"Each summer we choose a different geographic region of the province and all of the museums that are members of the association we offer them a day long site visit where we can come and tour the facility and see what they're doing and offer advice," said Collins. "If they have questions about grants, different programs we run or museum practice in general...in essence we are here to answer questions throughout the day."

**"They should be so proud of what they are doing here, I mean this is really fantastic. This program is all about building partnerships and being able to connect museums to each other."**

ERIN COLLINS  
Director of grants

Collins was excited to get into the Didsbury facility and says she was very impressed by the museum's range of artifacts and archives.

"They should be so proud of what they are doing here, I mean this is really fantastic," said Collins. "This program is all about building partnerships and being able to connect museums to each other."

The community site visit program is touring west Central Alberta, between Edmonton and Calgary this summer.

## Warnings issued for dog offences

BY KIM DICK  
Didsbury Review

Alberta Animal Services issued a report outlining animal control activity breakdown in the town of Didsbury.

Total number of warnings issued was 24 for the month of May.

These included eight running at large warnings, eight unlicensed dog warnings and one tag not worn.

There were also five barking warnings issued as well as one aggressive attack/bite and one chasing warning issued.

There were no tickets issued under the Cat Bylaw.

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### Westerdale United Church celebrates

About 70 children and adults from the United Church in Didsbury and the surrounding area gathered together on the lawn at Westerdale Hall for Sunday worship on June 3rd to celebrate and remember the century of spiritual growth, community service, and friendship that came from the tiny Westerdale United Church. This service was held to recognize the transfer of ownership from Knox United Church to Phyllis Pihl, a long-time area resident.

Pihl, originally of the Jackson family, was present at the service. Her great-grandfather Arthur Jackson Jr. was the original donor of the land on Highway 766 for

## Neighbourhood news

the church in 1902. Worship has not been held at Westerdale for almost 20 years, and being unsuitable for any development now, the present United Church congregation in Didsbury felt that the land should be returned to the original family.

"It was a wonderful opportunity for the older generations present to share some memories with those of us who don't have experiences of attending church without electricity or heat. And I certainly have never driven to church by horse and buggy," said Rev. Nancy Nourse who led worship that day. Other stories were shared by folks who remember many baptisms and weddings at Westerdale United Church. Wayne Jackson recalled stories told to him by his grandfather of some of the original motor cars which didn't have fuel pumps having to back up the steep hill to the church so gravity would pull fuel toward the engine. "Women chose to get out and walk up those steep hills instead," he chuckled.

Westerdale was originally a Methodist Church prior to United Church union in 1925, and it served as both a mission field and a summer placement for many student ministers over the years. Even when church services were not occurring regularly, Sunday School was still offered for neighbouring children. The church became a central place in the area and soon facilities for wagons and horse teams were built to accommodate them. A memorial ball team originated in

Westerdale after World War I, and the ball diamonds are still in use across from the little church today. The original organ donated in the 1930s by Calgary lawyer R.B. Bennett (who later became Prime Minister of Canada) was stolen in 1979 along with a historically valuable guest book. Soon another organ was donated and the ministry of music resumed. With thanks to Rev. Martin Lynas and his successor Rev. Doug Waite, the 1970s and 1980s saw worship held regularly there.

Westerdale United Church sits on a hill facing west with a view of the mountains, perhaps being one of the most beautiful locations in this part of the province. Pihl has no plans at this time for the tiny building or its land, but is grateful that the property is returned to its original heritage.

### Didsbury Skating Club news

The Didsbury Skating Club is excited for a great new year. The board for the club is the largest it has been in a number of years, with four new members, who are very excited and working hard to get ready for a fantastic season. The programs that will be offered are: Learn to Skate, Pre-hockey, Canskate, Spin Spiral Jump, Prelim. Prep, Junior and Starskate. The club is currently interviewing coaches for the Canskate and Starskate programs if there are more interested coaches. (Interested coaches may send resumes to Box 1062, Didsbury, AB, T0M 0W0).

Now is the time to register your skaters for next season. The Club is having an early registration June 21, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. in the Didsbury arena lobby to better prepare for the upcoming season. They will be accepting postdated cheques for September. It is important to attend, as skating fees may be subject to increase for all programs except Learn to Skate, after this date. Get ready for a fun new season. The Didsbury Skating Club is looking forward to having you on the ice.

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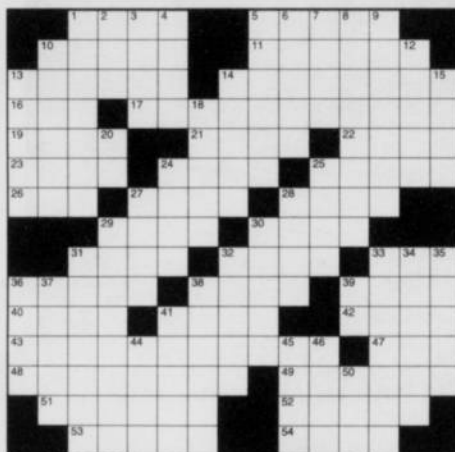
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- at right angles to a main building  
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4. A beloved person  
5. The presence of pus-forming bacteria or their toxins in the blood or tissues  
6. Stews with chickpeas  
7. Annual or biennial grass having erect flower spikes and light brown grains  
8. Sheds  
9. Reversal  
10. Compelling  
12. Dig  
13. Renault's Romanian car  
14. Fry quickly in a little fat  
15. L.A. DJ Rick  
18. Fill with high spirits  
20. Tantalum  
24. Portuguese folk song  
25. Animal lairs  
27. Days (Spanish)  
28. Showing sound judgment  
29. Breed of large terrier bred in Yorkshire  
30. Type genus of the Soleidae  
31. God  
32. Shopping centers  
33. Covered patchily  
34. Tolerated  
35. Formal combats for two  
36. Point of a fishhook  
37. River in Russia  
38. Surpasses  
39. Not from  
41. Hammered metal bolt  
44. Plural of 2 down  
45. Close by  
46. Boldly challenge  
50. Divides evenly into

### CLUES ACROSS

1. No longer living
5. Separation of Church and State
10. Twin of Phrixus
11. Secretly married
13. Dinner plate flower
14. Displaying liveliness
16. Caliph
17. Traitorous
19. Stone lined grave
21. San \_\_\_\_ Obispo, in California
22. To decaim wildly
23. South American Indian
24. Adipose tissues
25. Cubes
26. The time someone has existed
27. mm/dd/yyyy
28. Search for
29. Acts as military assistant
30. Without (French)
31. Chinese monetary unit

### CLUES DOWN

1. A way to burst out
2. An extension at the end and
32. Belgium city SE of Brussels
33. Male parent
36. Portable stands for coffins
38. A large bound bundle
39. Excluded from use or mention
40. Arthur \_\_\_\_, Wimbledon champion
41. Indian dancer Kanak
42. Off-Broadway theater award
43. The smallest state
47. Package (abbr.)
48. Mollusks
49. Philadelphia team
51. Croquet ball striker
52. Moved in a curved path
53. Commands
54. Comedian Fox

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**IT'S ALL ABOUT THE SENIORS** – Over 130 people gathered at Didsbury's Memorial Complex last Thursday to celebrate Seniors' Week with music and festivities. Pictured here is Stan Baptist accepting a door prize from organizers

Lea Smaldon/Didsbury Review

## Around town

### TUESDAY, JUNE 12

**Mountainview Christian Women's Continental Breakfast** will be held upstairs in the Carstairs arena, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. The special feature is cake decorating. Cost: \$5 per person, for reservations call Chelsea, 337-0143, or Margie, 335-3765.

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20

**Didsbury & District Community Bus day trip - Who knows where??** Bring a picnic lunch and join the fun. Cost, \$15. Bus leaves Memorial Complex at 9 a.m. Call Bea, 335-3058 or Gen, 335-3449.

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27

**Didsbury & District Community Bus is going to Cash Casino.** Cost, \$10. Bus leaves Memorial Complex at 4 p.m. Call Bea, 335-3058 or Gen, 335-3449.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 30

**The Didsbury and District Historical Society is having a 100th Birthday Pie Social** at the Old Brick School House on June 30 from 1 to 4 p.m. Cost for members \$5, non-members \$7. For more information call Joan at 335-6644 or Karla at 335-9944.

### TUESDAY, JULY 10

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# Dandelion dos and don'ts clarified in updated town policy

BY KIM DICK  
Didsbury Review

Town officials are not expecting as much trouble as last year with dandelion complaints with recent revisions to the Green Space Management Policy.

Town officials weeded through several complaints last summer in regards to dandelion infestations in the area and began discussing solutions.

Council agreed last Tuesday night to allow flexibility in the policy to provide a more clear understanding for when pesticides can be used for weed control.

Council discussed spraying for cosmetic purposes as opposed to controlling restricted and noxious weeds.

Some councillors felt that spraying what are considered nuisance weeds, like dandelions, for cosmetic reasons is unnecessary.

"If we have to deal with reality we can deal with reality," said councillor Bob Davidson. "May is better if we can't spray in times of weather...it gives us some leeway."

The policy has changed from specifying that pesticides 'will' be used in controlling weed thresholds by percentages on greenspaces in town to 'may' proceed with pesticide use.

**"If we have to deal with reality we can deal with reality. May is better if we can't spray in times of weather...it gives us some leeway."**

BOB DAVIDSON  
Councillor



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# New resident survey shows demographic changes

BY LEA SMALDON  
Didsbury Review

A recently tallied survey of new residents in Didsbury shows the town's population demographics are changing, say town officials.

Of the 160 or so new residents contacted by the Welcome Wagon and surveyed in 2006, over 80 were between the ages of 20 and 30.

The next highest number of residents counted in the survey were between the ages of 30 and 40 and then those

under five years of age, followed closely by those aged 40 to 50.

"We tend to think of Didsbury as a senior's town. But the highest numbers moving in is the ones between 20 and 30. The 70 plus was the lowest number coming in," said Luana Smith, the Town of Didsbury's executive assistant.

While not scientific, she said the new resident survey can give town officials and planners insight into future needs in the town.

"It really helps with economic development. If people want to move busi-

nesses here, we can say, these are the demographics, etc.," said Smith.

Population demographics have an impact on areas like demand for public services, transportation, and housing.

According to the new 2006 resident survey, the majority of new residents surveyed bought their own homes in town. Forty of the respondents were renting.


The survey also shows where they came from, why they moved, and what appealed to them about the town.

The majority of the residents sur-


veyed (60) moved to Didsbury from Calgary. The next popular place of origin was from near Didsbury, then B.C., Central Alberta, Southern Alberta, Sask., Ont., Manitoba, Edmonton, Maritimes, Quebec, and from outside of Canada.

Nearly 80 people said they moved to Didsbury because it was a small town. Others moved here because of housing, and just over 50 new residents come because of work. Other answers included family, amenities, and being retired or semi-retired.

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# News Briefs

## Didsbury's annexation requests may follow Olds

Didsbury may soon follow the lead of Olds in giving notice to Mountain View County of annexation requests.

The Town of Olds is expected to formally give notice in upcoming weeks to Mountain View County of its intention to annex approximately six quarter sections of land into its boundaries.

The land, located in pieces on the north-west, south, and southwest edges of town boundaries, is needed to suffice the expected growth needs of the town over the next 20 years.

This short-term annexation would top up land banks to support anticipated population growth of 5,221 people, 2,222 new homes, and a variety of commercial, industrial, and other land uses between now and 2027.

"The town is in growth mode and this is what's deemed necessary for good planning," said Dave Dittrich, a consultant working with the town and county to bring negotiations to a successful conclusion.

He said Mountain View County is prepared to work with the town to ensure that adequate land is in the town's boundary to provide for 20 years growth.

Both municipalities have agreed, in principle, to an Inter-municipal Development Plan (IDP) setting out lands identified for future short and long-term growth, as well as general planning policies.

He said Didsbury is also discussing its annexation needs, adding the town's proposal will be for more land than Olds' request.

## Ag society betting on Balzac

Olds Ag Society is looking to cash in on the controversial Balzac mega development by creating a training and boarding facility in Olds for race horses competing on the track there.

Approval was given last Wednesday morning by the municipal planning commission for the Olds Agricultural Society to proceed with a new riding arena and stables on the south side of the agricultural grounds.

The new facilities are in addition to what's already on the site.

OAS general manager Tami Gardner said the primary reason for the additional buildings will be to act as a training and boarding facility for horses which will race at the proposed Balzac track between April and June, before they go to the Northlands track in Edmonton for races later in the season.

Balzac's billion-dollar development is expected to include a casino, veterinarian college, a mall the size of West Edmonton Mall, convention centre and two race-tracks — a one-mile thoroughbred track and a seven-furlong standardbred track.

Horse racing officials say the development will bring bigger purses, bigger races, and more experienced riders.

Work on the project has been stalled because a source to supply water to the development has not been finalized.

The proposed Olds facilities will provide additional revenue to the OAS, adding to the horses that are already stabled there in between May and October.

## RCMP look for missing woman

The Sylvan Lake Detachment of the RCMP is seeking the public's assistance in locating a missing woman. Carole Dorothy Parent, aged 64, was last seen at her Sylvan Lake residence at approxi-



Kim Dick/Olds Albertan

**SLOW GOING** — Ken Wohl rides a 1951 WD Allis Chalmers tractor during the slow tractor pull at Rosehill auction grounds last Saturday. People at the auction grounds saw antique tractors of all shapes and sizes as they competed in events over the weekend.

mately 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 9. She left at that time in a maroon coloured Jeep Grand Cherokee, Alberta licence Number WPL 836.

Parent took only some night time medications with her and has not been seen since. She has a prescription-treated serious medical condition and her health may

be in jeopardy.

Searches have been done in some locations in the Sylvan Lake and Rocky Mountain House areas, without success.

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University of Alberta professors Linda Pilarski, oncology, and Chris Backhouse, engineering, are applying nano-scale microfluidic technology to produce a lab-on-a-chip. This technology can replace a roomful of lab equipment, allowing patients to be screened anywhere, for many things, and in a fraction of the time and cost now required for medical tests. They formed a new TEC Edmonton company, i-LOC, to bring this technology to market.

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# Williamson ties down Hand Hills Stampede

BY BARRY WILLIAMS  
Didsbury Review

Madden calf roper Cliff Williamson tied down his calf in 7.7 seconds to capture the tie-down roping event championship at the Hand Hills Stampede rodeo held last weekend.

A 27 year veteran and 1980 Canadian Professional Rodeo Association rookie of the year, Williamson has qualified for the Canadian Finals Rodeo 26 consecutive years, a Canadian record.

And travelling across Western Canada for 27 years has been very lucrative for Williamson as he has tucked more than \$677,000 into his jeans' pockets, another Canadian record. Included in his winnings are two \$50,000 Calgary Stampede championships.

His career has been shared with his trusty mount, Salty, named CPRA horse of the Year three times.

For his brief work in the rodeo infield at Hand Hills Williamson earned \$1,303, while two ropers, Trygve Pugh and Tyson Duffery, split the 2/4 slot winning \$885 apiece. Both super loopers flanked their calf in 8.2 seconds.

Big Valley saddle bronc rider Rod Warren, a former Canadian saddle

bronc champion and nine-time Canadian all-around champion, spurred out an 83 point ride aboard Calgary Stampede's Cosmic Way to win the saddle bronc event, worth \$1,094.

An 80 point ride worth \$821 was enough for Dustin Thompson to finish second. Placing third with a 79 point ride was Justin Berg. He pocketed \$547 for his work in the saddle.

In the bareback event, Vanderhoof's Luke Walker thrilled the fans with his 87 point ride on Calgary Stampede's Lasting Thrill to capture the second event of the rodeo. His ride was worth \$892. American Cimmaron Gerke posted 79.5 points to earn \$669, while Kevin Langevin of Lac La Biche placed third winning \$440 for a 77 point marked ride.

Warbug, Alta. bull rider, Tyler Pankewitz fired an

84.5 ride aboard Girlzet Rodeo's Fire Caddy to pocket \$1,303 for the bull riding championship. Meanwhile, Brett Thompson picked up 84 points to claim second spot along with \$1,014. Third place, worth \$725 went to Strathmore's Jesse Anton for an 82 point ride.

Top bull dogger with a quick time of 4 seconds was Mark Roy of Dalmead, Alta. His effort was worth \$1,184. A Raymond, Alta. steer wrestler, Jessie Heggie earned \$1,042 with Matt Pasko taking home \$882.

Fastest cowgirl around the barrels with a recorded time of 17.27 seconds was Lindsay Sears of Nanton. Her take-home pay was \$1,069. Rana Walter claimed second place money of \$917 for a posted ride of 17.61 seconds.

Two-time Canadian team roping champions,

Rocky Dallyn and Travis Gallais finished second earning \$1,052. Their time was set at 5.1 seconds.

There was only one angel, Peters and Son's Classic Angel, at the Grande Prairie Stampede and after the saddle bronc competition Millarville cowboy, Sam Kelts believed in angels as an 85.5 ride aboard Classic Angel earned him \$3,091. Scott Lourance's ride of 85 points gave him second spot worth \$2,447. A former PRCA world champion, Jesse Martin of, Dillon Mont. claimed third place money of \$2,060.

Brighton, Colorado cowboy Cimmaron Gerke failed to cause a disaster as he spurred out an 88 point ride on Peter's and Son's Flirtin' with Disaster to capture the bareback

event worth \$4,179.

Cochrane steer wrestler, Baillie Milan, split top honours with BJ Campbell of, Brenton, Wyo., winning \$2,834 apiece for a 3.8 second effort. Luke Lakosky and William Beirbach were timed at 4.3 seconds which earned them \$2,204 apiece.

Around the barrels, Traci Dawson was the quickest cowgirl finishing

the cloverleaf pattern in 15.82 seconds. Her run was worth \$3,634. American Jana Jarreau took second place with a time of 15.94 seconds. She pocketed \$2,914.

Rodeo fans are reminded the Daines Ranch Rodeo, with a prize purse over \$250,000, starts on Wed. June 13 and concludes on Sunday June, 17.

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Protein is found in meat, fish, poultry, legumes, milk and dairy products, eggs and to a lesser extent in grains and vegetables. To avoid eating too much protein, simply follow the recommended number of servings from each food group in Canada's Food Guide.



Lee is a registered nutritionist and nutrition educator. For more dairy nutrition information visit [www.albertamilk.com](http://www.albertamilk.com).

The good news is that diets higher in protein do seem to help some people lose weight. It takes longer to digest protein, so you feel full longer. Protein also raises your blood sugar slowly and keeps it stable for a longer time than when you just eat carbohydrates. This means that you avoid the quick hunger pangs you get after eating foods high in sugar. Your body also uses more calories to digest protein than carbohydrates or fat.

If you are going to try a higher-protein diet, it's important to ensure that you get enough calcium. Most adults require 1000 mg of calcium per day; the amount in three servings of milk. Protein does cause the loss of some calcium from your body, but this minimal amount is not important if your diet contains enough calcium.

Finally, spread your protein intake through the day. This is good advice for everyone. Many Albertans tend to eat lower-protein breakfasts and lunches followed by a very high-protein meal in the evening. Studies have found that by eating protein in the morning and at lunch, you will be less hungry later in the day.

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**IN MEMORY OF** — Remembering Our Roots memorial service was held at the Didsbury cemetery last weekend. The area is rich in history and a town committee is helping area residents connect with those laid to rest there.



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Christine Little, Children's Ministries Director  
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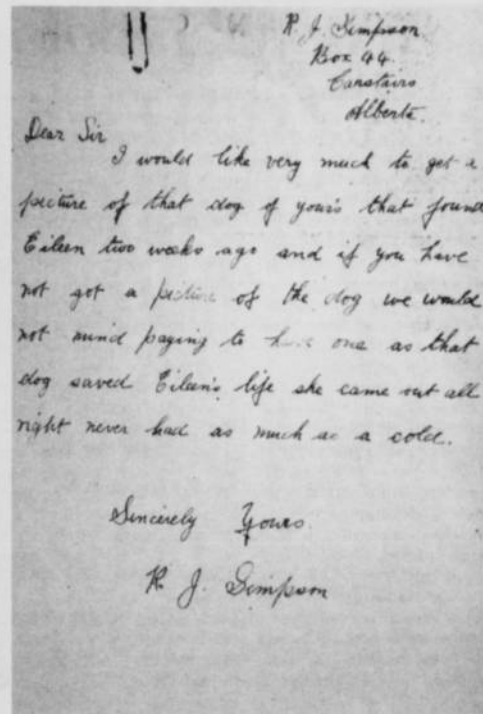
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Eileen Simpson was two and half-years-old in 1935 when police dog Dale saved her life. The rescue was instrumental in the RCMP creating a national police dog service. Nearly 70 years later Eileen was rescued again by another RCMP canine hero. A letter written by Eileen Simpson's father in 1935 to thank Sgt. Cawsey and Dale for saving his child's life.

Photos Submitted

## The miracle of Eileen Simpson

### An amazing 70-year story book ended by separate RCMP police dog rescues

BY JOHNNIE BACHUSKY  
Red Deer Express

When Audrey Redman heard about the construction of the new administration building at the Police Dog Service Training Centre in Innisfail, she sifted through her late father's old papers.

She came across a letter written to her father, John Cawsey, in 1935 by R.J. Simpson.

That year, Simpson's two and a half-year-old daughter Eileen was found by Cawsey, a sergeant in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), after the child became lost when wandering away from her home near Carstairs.

The father had written to thank Cawsey.

For many consecutive years after, the Simpson family sent Cawsey a photograph of Eileen as a token of their everlasting gratitude.

Audrey, a Calgary resident, had always wondered what became of Eileen, and this spring tracked down her sister Pearl Turner.

When Audrey telephoned Pearl she heard astonishing news that was nothing short of a miracle.

"They found her again in Innisfail," Pearl told Audrey.

Twice in Eileen Simpson's life – nearly 70 years apart, and at her most vulnerable moments – a RCMP police dog had saved her.

#### Eileen remembers her friend

In April, Audrey visited Eileen at a senior's residence in Calgary. Audrey would also meet Pearl and her sister Roberta McNees.

Before long Audrey and Eileen's sisters reconstructed the facts of the previous 70 years and realized there indeed had been a miracle in the life of Eileen Simpson.

The sisters brought Audrey photographs. One was of the young Eileen. The other was a photograph of Dale, a German Shepherd once owned by John Cawsey, who served with the RCMP from 1932 to 1944. Cawsey previously served with the Alberta Provincial Police from 1917 to 1932 when the RCMP absorbed the provincial force.

Eileen's memory was fading by last April, and her recollections with family members and friends were often disjointed.

However, she had no difficulty whatsoever in recognizing the picture of Dale, which she already had mounted on the wall of her room for the past several years.

"When she saw the picture she said, 'There's my dog,'" said Audrey.

#### Sgt. Cawsey rescues Eileen

Shortly after midnight on Aug. 18, 1935, Sgt. John Cawsey left the Calgary RCMP detachment with two constables and his canine partner Dale.

They had received a call that a child by the name of

Eileen Simpson was missing since 1:30 p.m. the previous day near Carstairs, and that up to 200 frantic locals were desperately trying to find her.

Along the way, the Mounties came across a parked car with a single occupant named R.A. Johnson.

The RCMP officers soon realized Johnson, and another man subsequently found in a nearby wheat-field by Dale, had been on a shoplifting spree in Red Deer the previous day.



Cawsey and his partners arrested the pair and took them back to Calgary. They immediately resumed their search for young Eileen.

The RCMP officers arrived at the Simpson farm early in the morning. Dale was given a scent of Eileen and shortly before 7 a.m. his tongue was motioning violently in the middle of a wheat field.

When Cawsey and his men arrived at the scene they found Dale licking the face of little Eileen who had crouched down with her head to the ground.

The child was taken to the house and treated. However, Eileen was just fine. In fact, officers noted she was talking "cheerfully" by the time they left to go back to Calgary.

Young Eileen had just met her best friend in the world.

#### RCMP dog program is created

The rescue of little Eileen Simpson in 1935 was a major factor in convincing RCMP headquarters in Ottawa to establish a full-time canine program within the force.

In 1933, John Cawsey first became interested in the use of dogs in police work. As a result of this interest he acquired Dale.

Two years later, the force purchased Dale, and together with his son Black Lux and a third shepherd named Sultan, they became the first recruits of the newly formed RCMP Dog Section.

Cawsey is credited with pioneering the use of police service dogs.

"It was because of him the commissioner of the day saw the worth, based on the (Eileen Simpson) case," said RCMP Insp. Lawrence Aimoe, who now heads the Police Dog Service Training Centre in Innisfail.

In 1938, Cawsey was put in charge of the RCMP's dog training school in Calgary.

He retired from the RCMP in 1944. During Cawsey's RCMP career he received two Commissioner's Commendations.

He passed away on March 31, 1964 at Calgary.

Today, largely due to Cawsey's trailblazing use of canines, the RCMP has more than 150 dog teams across the country.

Over the past seven decades, countless criminals have been arrested and the police dog program has saved scores and scores of people.

The Red Deer city RCMP detachment has two teams, with a third and fourth soon to be added.

City RCMP Cpl. Doug Hawkes has been a dog handler since 1989.

On Nov. 23, 2004 Hawkes was having a training session with his dog Kory when a call came in about a missing person in Innisfail.

The second miracle of Eileen Simpson was unfolding.

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**Eileen receives second miracle**

Hawkes and his partner Cpl. Mark McIntyre arrived at Innisfail's Country Lodge at about 11:20 p.m.

It was a wet and cold night with the temperature down to -5 C.

They were told an elderly woman, suffering from dementia, had been missing since 6:30 p.m.

Hawkes and his canine partner Kory did a perimeter search immediately south of the building.

Kory was about 10 metres ahead of Hawkes when the officer spotted the senior lying in a ditch near a grassy area of a field.

"She appeared very, very cold. She was clutching her purse. She was fully clothed," said Hawkes. "She had her arms wrapped up, holding her purse and trying to stay warm at the same time."

A cane was lying on the ground nearby, leaving the RCMP officers to believe the woman had fallen but was unable to get back up.

It was only a few weeks ago that Hawkes learned that the woman was Eileen Simpson, who had been saved by Sgt. John Cawsey and his canine partner Dale almost 70 years earlier.

"It was quite the astounding story. It was amazing," said Hawkes.

The miracle of Eileen Simpson sent shock waves through the senior ranks of the RCMP.

There had been many incredible stories throughout the years about the heroics and accomplishments of the national agency's police dog program but nothing

as amazing as someone being saved by a canine twice in a lifetime, almost 70 years apart.

"The remarkable thing is that she was saved by police dogs twice in her life. It demonstrates how valuable these dogs are, especially for those who are vulnerable," said Aimoe. "In both cases I don't think there is any doubt that without the team involved Ms. Simpson would have perished."

The timing of the entire story could not have been more appropriate for RCMP dog handlers.

The new \$2 million administration building at Innisfail's Police Dog Service Training Centre will be unveiled on June 20 during an invitation-only ceremony.

The RCMP wants the new building to be named after Sgt. John Cawsey.

**The plan to honour Sgt. Cawsey**

"I think it is a great idea. He was the first dog handler. He basically developed our program to what it is today," said Cpl. Hawkes.

"It is quite amazing to where we have come over the years."

However, the final decision on the new building's name is now in the hands of Michael Fortier, federal minister of the Department of Public Works and Government Services Canada.

His ministry is responsible for the naming of all Government of Canada buildings.

Anne Pratt, corporate communications manager for the ministry, will only say the RCMP name proposal is still under consideration.

Pratt said she couldn't say whether that decision will be made in time for the unveiling ceremony on June 20.

"We do have a responsibility to make sure the community is involved," said Pratt. "And that is why this is taking time."

However, Red Deer MP Bob Mills, a long-time supporter of the Innisfail dog training centre, is promising to lobby on behalf of the RCMP for the new building to be named after Cawsey.

"Obviously I will look at the facts but it sounds reasonable to me," said Mills, who fought the Liberal federal government a decade ago to make sure the training centre was not moved to B.C. "I will do the lobbying for them in Ottawa."

Meanwhile, Audrey Redman and 40 other Cawsey family members will be at the Innisfail dog training centre on June 20.

They are honoured there is even a proposal to have the new administration building named after John Cawsey.

In the 50s, the Town of Bassano, where Cawsey once served, erected a statue of the police officer and his dog Dale. However, the statue was vandalized in the 80s and it has been sitting derelict in a town storage room for more than 20 years.

"We are a just so thrilled that after all these years he will be recognized," said Audrey.

Regardless of what the federal decision is, Audrey's joy, pride and faith, as well for thousands of others - especially for Eileen Simpson - will be undiminished by the awareness that miracles do indeed happen.

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View Chapter. Support and info for parents and teachers dealing

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**DIDSBURY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC** - Provides free accessible mental health services. Which incl. assessments, individual family & group counselling & crisis intervention. Mon. to Fri. 8:30-4:00.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** Meetings Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 21 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Colleen at 335-8484 or Rick at 335-9525.

#### HALL RENTALS

**5-0 Club Hall Rentals.** For Hall rentals &/or info regarding the hall please call Bea Niedersteiner 335-3058.

To Rent **Didsbury Elks Hall.** Call Ray Vipond, 335-8082.

To Rent **St. Cyprian's Anglican Church Hall,** contact Myrna Watt 335-3745.

To Rent the **Lone Pine Hall,** which is located east of Didsbury, contact Jo-Anne Hannah at 335-4190.

To Rent **Mountain View Community Hall** for meetings, community events, family or group reunions call John 335-8860.

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#### SHARE A LITTLE MAGIC, YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Spend one hour a week with a child at school. Have fun together - play games, shoot some hoops, draw, read or do crafts. Mentoring works! Call Mountain View Mentoring at 586-0110.

Volunteers needed in Carstairs, Cremona, Didsbury, Olds & Sundre. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Innisfail.

**DIDSBURY LIFELINE** Emergency Response System - Shirley 335-3787, Don 335-4676.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALERS** invite you to sing with us 7 p.m. Mondays at the 5-0 club, 2500 15 Ave. 36thfn

**DIDSBURY ROYAL PURPLE #317** Regular meeting at 7:30 p.m., 2nd Wednesday of each month. For info call Sharon Wadel 335-3481 tfn

**ALANON:** For family and friends of alcoholics. Alice 556-5911, Reg 337-3762. tfn

**DIDSBURY AND AREA SUPPORT GROUP** For friends and families of people with Alzheimer Disease and other forms of dementia. Join us the last Tuesday of each month, 7-9 p.m. Aspen Ridge Lodge. 335-9848. tfn

#### DIDSBURY & DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES

**AUXILIARY** monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital. 44thfn

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS** 12-Step group for Compulsive Overeaters, meets on Thursdays at 7 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Anglican church, 130 Albert St., Airdrie. For more information call Deb at 948-0563 or Frankie at 335-3633. 05thfn

**3025 RCACC** Didsbury Army Cadets Youth 12-18 Monday 6:30 - 9:30. Elks Hall Main St. 559-8801. 44thfn

**PARENT LINK DROP IN PLAY CENTRE,** FREE playtime for parents and children ages 0-6yrs. Didsbury Neighborhood Place, Bay 2 - 2030 - 17 Ave. Open every Monday 1 pm-4:30pm & Tuesday 9am to Noon. Also Free Dad's & Kids Breakfast Playtime 1st and 3rd Sat. 8:30 am to Noon. Linda at 586-5466. tfn

**ADULT HALL WALKING** at Westglen School from 6:30pm to 7:30pm from Monday to Friday. Also free blood sugar testing on Mondays. For more information call Cindy at 335-9437. tfn

**DIDSBURY MUSEUM OPEN** 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tues and Wed. Sat. 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

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**COMMUNITY RESOURCES HALL RENTALS** Rosebud Hall for hall rental. Call 335-9945 or 335-4606. 20thfn

**RUGBY HALL AVAILABLE TO RENT FOR MEETINGS** Family or group reunion and other functions Contact Della @ 335-8767. 20thfn



Who do you know ...

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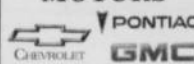
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In loving memory of our dear  
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**JEAN FEHR**  
June 17, 2006  
What we would give her hand  
to clasp,  
Her patient face to see,  
To hear her voice, to see her  
smile,  
As in the days that used to be,  
But some sweet day we'll  
meet again  
Beyond the toil and strife,  
And clasp each other's hand  
once more,  
In Heaven, that happy life.

Lovingly remembered  
Denise & Jerry and Families

## 100. Obituaries

## 300. Lost & Found

**LOST - CHOCOLATE LAB**  
From the Burnstick Lake area.  
He is 18 mos old & approx 70  
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chain with tags. Reward if  
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Looking to contract janitorial  
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For a schedule of duties. Submit  
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## 100. Obituaries

### MORASCH



Bessie Laura Morasch (nee  
Nettany) passed away on  
June 3, 2007 at the age of 90  
years. She was born at the  
home in Elkton on June 30,  
1916 and went to school at  
Elmwood, Big Prairie and  
Elkton. In 1945, she started  
working at Eatons in Calgary,  
retiring 17 years later. She married Sid Morasch  
on November 13, 1948. After the passing of Sid  
in 1978, Bessie moved to Sundre. She lived at  
Pioneer Place for 12 years and had just recently  
moved to the Foothills Lodge. Bessie was  
predeceased by her four sisters Mable in 1920,  
Gladys in 1926, Beatrice Oliver in 1996, Grace  
Coleman in 2001; two brothers Louis in 1906  
and Walter in 1984; mother Lovina and father  
August in 1955. She is survived by two sons  
Wilfred (Eleanor) of Calgary and Wayne of  
Kamloops, BC; one sister Ida Grace of Sundre  
and one brother Albert of Didsbury; three  
grandchildren in Alberta and two grandchildren  
and two great-grandchildren of Wyoming, USA.  
In keeping with the family's wishes, no funeral  
service will be held. Memorial tributes may be  
made directly to the Sundre Legion or the  
charity of choice. As a tribute to Bessie  
Morasch, a tree will be planted in the  
Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds.  
Sundre, entrusted with  
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## 150. Birthdays/Anniversaries

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**Harley Seymour turns  
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**STUDENTS** Didsbury Golf  
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*Andrea Peters  
graduated from the  
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Collaborative Nursing  
Degree Program,  
June 2007.*

*Love from her family,  
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Tom Peters*

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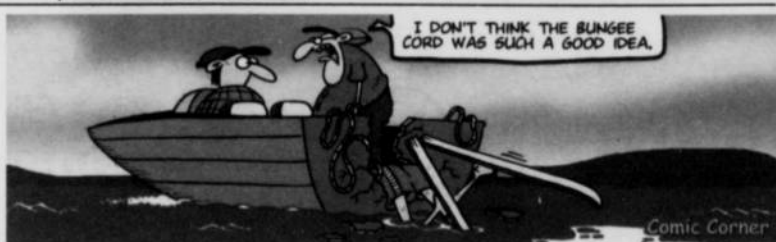


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